Office of the Under Secretary
National Protection and Programs Directorate
U.S. Department of Homeland Security
Washington, DC 20528



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## **SENT VIA EMAIL TO: : JUDD@IONSKY.COM**

Mr. Judd Motchan 16512 Highway 119 Black Hawk, Colorado

RE: 2018-NPFO-00260

Dear Mr. Motchan:

This is a final response to your February 5, 2018, Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request to the Department of Homeland Security (DHS), National Protection and Programs Directorate (NPPD), seeking copies of any video surveillance footage of a vehicle accident at the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Region 8 offices in Denver, Colorado. Your request was received by this office on the same date.

We conducted a comprehensive search of files within NPPD's Federal Protective Service (FPS) for video footage that would be responsive to your request. Unfortunately, we were unable to locate or identify any responsive video footage. Per FPS, the video footage and its equipment belongs to the EPA and, therefore, you must submit your FOIA request to that agency seeking the specified video surveillance footage. The EPA's Region 8 FOIA office contact information is:

Regional Freedom of Information Officer U.S. EPA, Region 8 1595 Wynkoop Street Denver, CO 80202-1129 (303) 312-6856 (telephone)

Website: <a href="http://www.epa.gov/region8/foia/index.html">http://www.epa.gov/region8/foia/index.html</a>

Online Request Form: http://www.epa.gov/foia/requestform.html

You may contact the NPPD FOIA Public Liaison at 703-235-2211 for any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request. You may also contact OGIS at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at <a href="mailto:ogis@nara.gov">ogis@nara.gov</a>; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

If you are not satisfied with the response to this request, you may administratively appeal by writing to: Associate General Counsel (General Law), U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Washington, D.C. 20528, following the procedures outlined in the DHS regulations at 6 C.F.R. § 5.8. Your envelope and letter should be marked "FOIA Appeal." Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within 90 days of the date of the response to your request. Copies of the FOIA and DHS regulations are available at <a href="https://www.dhs.gov/foia">www.dhs.gov/foia</a>.

Provisions of the FOIA allow us to recover part of the cost of complying with your request. In this instance, because the cost is below the \$25.00 minimum, there is no charge.

If you need to contact our office concerning this request, please call 703-235-2211.

Sincerely,

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